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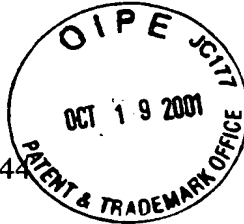
In re Patent Application of

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For: METHOD FOR PREPARING
SILICONE OILS BY
HYDROSILYLATION WITH
POLYORGANOHYDROGENOSIL
OXANES AND UNITS
CONTAINING AT LEAST ONE
HYDROCARBON RING
INCLUDING AN OXYGEN ATOM,
IN THE PRESENCE OF A
HETEROGENEOUS CATALYTIC
COMPOSITION



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Prior to examination, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly cancel claims 1-21, and insert the following new claims 22-42 therefor.

22. Process for the preparation of a nonturbid, functionalized silicone oil of
stable viscosity by hydrosilylation of a polyorganohydrosiloxane with synthons wherein:

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